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enhanced by permitting designers to easily express their design concepts in concrete, comprehensive, and comprehensible working models. A set of prototyping and simulation tools has been developed to be used as an integral part of the specification and design process. These include an interactive display building utility and a syntax-driven interactive dialogue controller. The display builder is used ...

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## 19 Perspectives on CASE tool integration



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CASE tool integration means making the whole tool environment greater than the sum of its constituent parts (tools). An integrated CASE environment, in turn, is built on an integration *framework*. This paper presents a series of perspectives on CASE tool integration and frameworks.

## 20 Simulation education: Why we need to offer a modeling and simulation engineering curriculum



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This paper describes some identifiable trends in the manufacturing industry regarding the increased use of simulation tools, especially by small- to medium-sized companies. These trends have resulted in the need for a new type of engineer, namely simulation engineer. This need prompted the University of Skövde to develop a B.Sc. simulation engineering study program. The contents and layout of the program, which started in Autumn 2000, are described. After receiving a firm foundation in manu ...

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Scenarios are an effective means for defining the expected behavior of a system during the design and implementation phase. The 'Come Let's Play' approach has demonstrated that scenarios can fully define a system's behavior. In practice, however, the expected behavior defined by scenarios must be achieved in the context of existing components that cannot be changed. Therefore, the scenario-based approach must be reconciled with state-based models. In this paper, we present such an approach for t ...

### 4 [Opus: A Smalltalk production system](#)



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Opus is a tool for rule-based programming which integrates a production system paradigm with the Smalltalk-80 environment. Opus currently provides a data-driven production system that allows the programmer considerable freedom, including access to the full functionality of the Smalltalk-80 language, and the ability to match rules with arbitrary objects in the environment. We present the goals for the design, a description of the system and its implementation, and discuss issues raised by th ...

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We pose a query problem about the behavior of a consultation system S: given a constraint formula q and a potential conclusion c for S, determine if there is a user input binding that satisfies q and causes S to conclude c. Existing rule-based expert systems, both forward and backward chaining[3], implement a consultation mechanism S, but are not designed f ...

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10 Abstract interaction tools: a language for user interface management systems

Jan Van Den Bos

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A language model is presented for the specification of User Interface Management Systems. The model, called the Abstract Interaction Tool (AIT) model, offers a tree-like hierarchy of interaction objects. Each object represents a subtree and can be considered as an abstract input device containing a syntax-like specification of the required input pattern. The hierarchy of specifications amounts to a system of syntactical productions with multiple control. Terminal nodes of the AIT tree repre ...

11 Modeling methodology: An integrated object model for activity network based simulation

Gert Zülch, Jörg Fischer, Uwe Jonsson

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This paper describes an object-orientated simulation approach towards an integrated planning of production systems. The main obstacle for an integrated use of simulation over different planning areas and stages are the different views on a production system. Therefore, an object model is developed, which enables the co-existence of different views and levels of detail in the same simulation model while maintaining its consistency. This is achieved by combining object-orientated technology with a ...

12 Globalization: Global teamwork for a global resource

Deborah Hysell

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OCLC used a team including two software-consulting groups---one in California and the other New York---to build a new production system to produce multilevel, multilingual help and documentation for its FirstSearch service. For translations, the team included translators and reviewers in several countries. The principles for building effective teams across great distances are the same as those when building a team in your own building.

13 Production system architecture: The use of production systems in RITA to construct personal computer "agents"

Robert H. Anderson

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A production system called RITA has been developed on a PDP-11/UNIX minicomputer system, to allow the development of "user agents": small programs that perform useful tasks for a user. RITA rules are written in an English-like language, allowing an agent's logic to be understood by a computer-naïve user. The RITA system contains explanatory facilities capable of giving substantial trace and historical information regarding the

operation of a user agent. An example of the design and implementatio ...

#### 14 Special issue on knowledge representation



Ronald J. Brachman, Brian C. Smith  
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In the fall of 1978 we decided to produce a special issue of the SIGART Newsletter devoted to a survey of current knowledge representation research. We felt that there were two useful functions such an issue could serve. First, we hoped to elicit a clear picture of how people working in this subdiscipline understand knowledge representation research, to illuminate the issues on which current research is focused, and to catalogue what approaches and techniques are currently being developed. Secon ...

#### 15 Verification, validation and accreditation: An integrated approach to verification, validation, and accreditation of models and simulations



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In an M&S-Based Systems Acquisition, computer simulation is used throughout the development process not just as an analysis tool but also as a development tool. In general, development of a system capability using M&S-Based Systems Development will result in multiple models or simulations to meet specific needs. The Verification, Validation and Accreditation (VV&A) of each these tools is integral to M&S development. Integrating Verification and Validation (V&V) activities with M&S development an ...

#### 16 Features: Coding Smart: People vs. Tools



Donn M. Seeley  
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Tools can help developers be more productive, but they're no replacement for thinking.

#### 17 Modeling manufacturing systems: an information-based approach



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#### 18 Prototyping and simulation tools for user/computer dialogue design



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The design and development of user interfaces to interactive computer systems is